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CONFERENCE OF FOURTH SOUTH ASIA GEOLOGICAL CONGRESS
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Will the Minister of COAL AND MINES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Fourth South Asia Geological Congress was held in New Delhi recently; and

(b) if so, the details of point discussed in the conference ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF COAL AND MINES(SUSHREE UMA BHARTI)

(a) & (b) : Yes, Sir. The 4th South Asia Geological Congress was held between 13-15 November 2002 at New Delhi.The Theme of the Conference was `Quaternary Geology and Dynamics of South Asia`.During the Conference discussions were held amongst the geoscientists broadly covering the following topics :-

1. Quaternary processes, Coastal Dynamics and Neotectonics.

2. Climatic changes during the Quaternary - Causes and their implications.

3. Quaternary Stratigraphy

4. Evolution of life during Quaternary era.

5. Aeolin and glacial processes and their impact.

6. Quaternary Resources - Potentials and constraints.